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# **GOV. FLETCHER'S**

Senator Page is receiving a large number of letters insisting that he meet Gov. Fletcher on his own level and attack him on his many vulnerable points.

He has received offers of facts concerning both the public and private record of the Gov- Mexico, received further definition ye ernor which are claimed to be damaging in the American Federation of Catholic Socie extreme.

In every case these offers have been declined with the assurance that Senator Page would not descend to this method of campaigning.

GOV. FLETCHER SEEMS TO BELIEVE THAT IN ORDER TO BUILD UP HIS OWN SENATORIAL F. Betten, S. J., to the ability of the FORTUNES HE MUST TEAR DOWN AND DE-STROY SENATOR PAGE.

He forgets that Senator Page has always lived in Ver- themselves but even to conquer wide mont—that commencing in 1869 as a Representative from muscular power that made it possible Hyde Park, re-elected in 1870; elected a State Senator in Was it money? No, because both in 1874; a member of the Republican State Committee from of the allies. It was the German head. 1872 to 1889, and its Chairman from 1885 to 1889; as and is in this head and brain. Bank Examiner from 1884 to 1888; as Governor from 1890 to 1892; and as United States Senator from 1908 to country. 1916, he has been continuously in the lime-light in pub- German delegates on Mexican affairs and lic service to such an extent that the people of Vermont have formed an opinion as to his integrity and ability which cannot be undermined and destroyed in a few brief is fraternizing with Villa and Carranza weeks of political advertising.

Gov. Fletcher forgets that Governor Page has been asking the passage of the Kern-McGillidealing with the people of Vermont in a business way all these years and that his reputation for integrity and square dealing, whether good or bad, cannot be changed in a day

GOV. FLETCHER WILL BE PERMITTED TO EN- Frey of the verein, and of Anthony JOY A COMPLETE MONOPOLY OF HIS INDIANA taken up. Mr. Matre in his report Mon- tations to the state department. METHODS OF CAMPAIGNING. SENATOR PAGE WILL NOT DESCEND TO THIS LEVEL.

Gov. Fletcher will find that Senator Page's many Ver- of the morning program. mont friends will be prompt to resent his abuse and excellent judges say that the Senator's vindication is as cer- and the young men's union attended a mer home at Oconomowae, Wis. tain to come at the primary September 12th as the sun cials of the union and others. is to rise and set.

Senator Page is now receiving many letters assuring him that the reaction against Governor Fletcher's questionable campaign methods has already set in, but be that as Felice Pfaat Put to Death at Lighthouse it may, the Senator is quite content to trust his vindication to the people of Vermont. They know that his business interests are all in Vermont; that every fibre of his being is loval to his native state and always will be; that despite the malicious attempt to injure the Bank of which he is According to this information, reinc President, it is an institution of which Vermont is justly ing at the lighthouse shooting range, proud.

They know that his calfskin business has brought hundreds of thousands of dollars to Vermont, and that be- Many Uphold President-Many Others cause of this business another industry in which Vermont leads has been added to the list.

Whether Vermonters are or are not proud of their former Governor and Junior United States Senator, may in the mind of Gov. Fletcher be a matter of doubt. That Gov. Fletcher has, by his attempts to blacken the character of Senator Page, taken the surest possible method to determine that fact, no sane man can doubt. Senator Page is quite willing to await the arrival of Sept. 12th to receive Vermont's verdict relative to the introduction of Gov. Fletcher's Indiana methods into Vermont State politics,

#### A RICH AFFIDAVIT

As a sample of the campaign methods by which Gov. Fletcher hopes to reach the United States Senate, it may be stated that there is now being slyly circulated through the state an affidavit made by one Arthur M. Rich-a discharged clerk of Senator Page-to the effect that when this young man was in Senator Page's official employ in Washington the Senator took from him a portion of his salary, and put it in his own pocket.

Letters have already been received by Senator Page calling his attention to this precious concoction in the counties of Orleans, Essex and Windham and the probabilities are that it has been circulated throughout the state. Senator Page has twice sent to the office of Williams & Smith of Newport for a copy of the Rich affidavit, but has been unsuccessful in securing it. That the affidavit is absolutely false the Senator states unqualifiedly and that indisputable documentary proof to show its falsity is now in his hands.

This affidavit has a most interesting history. The call sent out to young Rich to come to Vermont to make this affidavit was sent by one of the firm of Williams & Smith. Of this fact, there is absolute proof. It was executed in the law office of Williams & Smith at Newport, the political headquarters of Allen M. Fletcher in Orleans County. The affidavit was sworn to before B. M. Spooner, a clerk in the office of Williams & Smith.

Incidentally it might be mentioned that the senior partner of this Newport law firm is Bank Commissioner Williams, whose arraignment of the management of Senator Page's Hyde Park bank recently occupied nearly a full page in every paper in Vermont and cost Gov. Fletcher over \$3,000-enough to buy a good

## CHURCHMEN TALK MEXICO

Further Definition of Their Opinion Given Yesterday

BUSINESS SESSIONS HELD IN MORNING

Mass Meeting and Banquet Last Night-Wage Discussion

New York, Aug. 23.-Views of some the leading priests and laymen of the terday in the conventions here of the ties, the Catholic Young Men's National union and the German Catholic Centra verein. The annual report of Michael J Slattery as president of the young men' organization which was presented yester day dealt with the condition of the Cath olic church in Mexico. Mr. Slattery spent 15 years as a mining engineer is

Successes of the central powers in the European war was attributed by Rev. Teutonic mind to assimilate knowledge, in an address before the German Roman

"How is it that the central powers have been able not only to maintain countries from their enemies? Was it the German brain, or rather what was

Father Betten appealed for more edu cation among Catholic Germans in this

Bishop Currier of Cuba addressed the n the course of his remarks said:

"Everything that is dearest to the heart of Catholics in Mexico has been desecrated by ruffians. Our government and is causing our church a great injus-

The delegates adopted a resolution cuddy federal employes' compensation sill and copies were telegraphed to President Wilson and to the minority and ma-

ority leaders in the Senate. Business sessions of the federation and its allied organizations were held yesterday morning, when some of the subjects discussed in the reports of Pres. Joseph Matre, secretary of the federation, were lay criticised some of the features of modern life which he regarded as evil, including phases of the moving picture business, easy divorces, improper plays Held Leading Position with the Armour and attacks on Christianity. A women's

Last night there was a mass meeting under the auspices of the central verein, in New York, died Monday at his sumbanquet and listened to addresses by offi-

#### FRENCH EXECUTE A WOMAN SPY

Shooting Range, Havas Despatch Says.

Paris, Aug. 23.-The execution of man as a spy was reported vesterday a Havas despatch from Marseilles. having been convicted of espionage by the council of war of the 15th region.

#### TELEGRAMS FLOOD IN

Urge That Wilson Support Arbitration.

Washington, Aug. 23,-Messages on the railroad situation continue to arrive at the White House. Many uphold the president's position, and many others urge him to support the railroads in their demand for arbitration. Petitions signed by 44,000 employes of the Pennsylvania railroad opposing a strike of the were taken to the White House during Monday, making a total of 80,000 signa tures attached to such petitions,



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#### McLEMORE TRIES AGAIN TO STOP THE ALLIES' MUNITIONS

Would Empower President to Place an Embargo on Arms to Any Country Disregarding International Law.

Washington, Aug. 23 .- A concurrent esolution to empower the president to place an embargo on war munitions and all other exports as he may deem proper, destined for any foreign country which knowingly disregarded international law and violates neutrality rights with the United States, was introduced yesterday by Representative McLemsre of Texas and referred to the foreign afairs committee.

#### SHIPPING BILL HITS A SNAG.

Republican Opposition in House Endangers the Measure.

Washington, Aug. 23 .- The administration ship bill got a setback yesterday n the House

When Chairman Alexander of the merchant marine committee moved to concur in the Senate amendments, Representative Greene of Massachusetts objected and announced he would make the point of no quorum if Mr. Alexander

This would mean recalling all the ab-

The final passage of the bill now de ends on some agreement to remove the Republican opposition or assemble a Democratic majority

The so-called anti-blacklist provision n the administration ship bill authorizing customs officials to withhold clear ance to any ship refusing American cargo except for the reason of being laden, has attracted the attention of th allied embassies, and they are making inquiries which may result in represen-

#### P. A. VALENTINE DEAD

interests.

Chicago, Aug. 23 .- P. A. Valentine, 55,

D. Armour. He married the widow of Eastern league. He formerly played New York scribe in a recent article on home run. P. D. Armour, jr. About ten years ago he removed to New York City, where he took charge of the Armour interests. He was a director of the National bank, New York, and of a number of railroads and industrial corporations.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At Pittsburg-(1st game) Philadelphia Pittsburg 2; (2d game) Pittsburg 9 Philadelphia 7 At Cincinnati-Boston 1, Cincinnati 0

At St. Louis St. Louis 6, New York 0. At Chicago-Brocklyn 9, Chicago 6,

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

		Won.	Lost.	Pet.
	Brooklyn	. 68	40	.630
6	Boston		42	.596
ì	Philadelphia	. 64	45	.587
	New York	. 53	56	.486
	Pittsburg	50	59	.459
	St. Louis		64	.448
	Chicago	. 51	63	.447
	Cincinnati	43	74	.368

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.

At New York-New York 7. Chicago 6. At Philadelphia-Philadelphia 1, De-

At Washington-St. Louis 2, Washingon 2 (called in the 14th on account o larkness) At Boston-Boston 3, Cleveland 0,

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. Lost. Chicago .... .538 .538 .538 Detroit New York .534 Cleveland ..... Washington ..... .478 Philadelphia ..... 24

#### BASEBALL BRIEFS

First Baseman Ness of the White Sox heavy hitter, is laid up with a broken Eddie Collins is batting at the lowest

nark that he has ever batted in his ca-At the present time he is couting he ball at a 287 clip. The Tigers are not out of the Amer

an league race as yet. Jennings is getng a new brand of pitching. The Pirates intend to play Hans Wager at first base next year. He will he last of the old guard

Eddie Cicotte has beaten the Yankees ve times this year. His knuckle ball ms to be a jinx to Donovan's pets. Pitcher Middleton, who will join the ants at the end of the American assoiation season from the Louisville team, cently worked in 46 consecutive innings

ithout allowing a score. Billy Myer, catcher for the Athletics ho was taken sick with appendicitis while the team was in St. Louis, has reovered so that he has left the hospital and gone to his home in Knoxville, Tenn.



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Myer expects to join the team in Sep- with a shop team in Bridgeport and got the Yankees. A Boston

When his throwing arm is a little strong- recommendation to the Browns. er, Donovan intends to put him on the Of last year's Cubs, who finished in Herzog, or even young Witt of the Athmiddle bag. Maizel ought to be a su-

cess at this important position. manager of the Armour packing interests | The St. Louis Browns have their eyes

fourth place under the management of letics. Röger Bresnahan, Tinker has traded or on a new shortstop, who is proving a and Humphries. He is also ready to get cinich, their young catcher, drove a long sensation in his first year out. The play- rid of Archer, Saier and Zimmerman. fly to center, the ball hitting on the top

ember.

Such a reputation around his home that "We'll freely admit that Peck is some Fritz Maizel has commenced to do a the club signed him about a month ago. shortstop, but we wonder if that writer little light work at the second station. Coach Charley Kelchner gave him a good ever put much thought on Doney Bush, Ray Chapman, Rabbitt Maranville, Buck

The Mackmen played an exhibition sold Schultz, Phelan, Fisher, Good, Pierce game in Newark, O., recently, when Pi-Mr. Valentine was long associated as er is Harold Horkbeimer, who is playing Roger Peckinpaugh is the best short- of Outfielder Nutter's head and bounding employe and partner of the late Philip with Bridgeport, his home town, in the stop in the majors, bar nobody, writes a over the fence, thus yielding a novel





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